

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Marcel Frans Leopold De Bruyn et al.
Serial No. :
Filed :
Title : PYRROLIDINYL, PIPERIDINYL OR HOMOPIPERIDINYL
SUBSTITUTED (BENZODIOXAN, BENZOFURAN OR
BENZOPYRAN) DERIVATIVES

Art Unit :
Examiner :

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please add the following paragraph at page 1, between the Title and line 4: ✓

-- Cross Reference to Related Applications

This application is the national stage filing of PCT Application No. PCT/EP00/04747, filed May 23, 2000 which application claims priority from EPO Application No. 99201746.7, filed June 2, 1999. --

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows: ✓

6. (Amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier and a therapeutically active amount of a compound as claimed in claim 1.

7. (Amended) A process for preparing a pharmaceutical composition as claimed in claim 6 wherein a therapeutically active amount of a compound as claimed in claim 1 is intimately mixed with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Please cancel claim 8 and replace with new claim 10. ✓

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-- 10. (New) A method of treating conditions related to a hampered or impaired relaxation of the fundus comprising administering to a subject in need thereof an effective amount of a compound as claimed in claim 1. --

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